

Corn Meal for the Hair

A young lady dropped into the parlors of a Fifth Avenue hair specialist the other day, and, after a long consultation, she decided to try the treatment. The Frenchwoman in charge, who had been in the profession for many years, and who had seen the most successful things in vogue, said: "The hair is taken down, shaken out and wet with warm water. It is then carefully put up in a bun, and a corn meal and water paste is applied to the roots. The quantity depending on the color and the texture of the hair. The blonde hair I follow this up with the cornmeal-brushing, a very coarse grade of yellow cornmeal, which is rubbed on the hair and then carefully brushed out. It is astonishing to see how fluffy the hair appears after this treatment, and for days it remains in position, requiring no pins, puffs or braids." Asked what was the safest and best home preparation for the hair, she said: "The hair should be washed with the hair soap and then carefully brushed out. It is astonishing to see how fluffy the hair appears after this treatment, and for days it remains in position, requiring no pins, puffs or braids." Asked what was the safest and best home preparation for the hair, she said: "The hair should be washed with the hair soap and then carefully brushed out. It is astonishing to see how fluffy the hair appears after this treatment, and for days it remains in position, requiring no pins, puffs or braids."

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News of the Churches

Unless otherwise noted in this column the usual services will be held by the regular pastors and at the usual hours.

Allen Avenue Christian—Rev. B. A. Abbott, of Baltimore, who has been holding a special meeting during the past week, will preach at 11 A. M. on "The Great Love of Christ" and at 8 P. M. on "Learning to Live the Christian Life." The revival services will continue each night this week.

Academy Chapel, Highland Park—Rev. John J. Gravatt, D. D., rector of Holy Trinity Church, will preach at 11 A. M.

Asbury Place Methodist—Preaching at 11 A. M. by Rev. W. Abney Christian, D. D., presiding elder. The pastor, Rev. W. Williams, will preach at night on "Christ's Answer to Nicodemus."

St. Luke's Episcopal—Rev. James W. Morris, D. D., rector of Monumental Church, will preach and administer holy communion at 8 P. M.

Woodland Heights Baptist—Rev. Mr. Darbee, of Richmond College, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. The congregation was organized last Sunday, and will be the first regular services of this church.

Highland Park Methodist—Preaching at 11 A. M. by Rev. J. W. Dixon, and at 8 P. M. by the pastor, Rev. D. T. Merritt.

Central Y. M. C. A.—The last of the men's meetings in the old building at Main and Sixth Streets will be conducted at 8 P. M. by Rev. S. A. Ackley, State secretary of Virginia, and others will participate. At 8:30 P. M. the last meeting of the Boy's Sunday Afternoon Club will be held. W. Y. Reihard, physical director, in charge. Gymnasium and outdoor games will be held in the old building on Monday and Tuesday.

Railroad Y. M. C. A.—Rev. D. Clay Lilly, D. D., pastor of Grace Street Presbyterian Church, will speak on "Service" at 8 P. M. W. H. Stuppel will sing. Arrangements are being made for tent meetings during the summer.

TO EDUCATE NEGROES

Great Training School Will Be Built by Catholics.

Baltimore, Md., April 15.—Father John E. Burke, of New York, with the approval of Cardinal Gibbons, has announced that the Catholic board of mission work among colored people has decided to establish an industrial school in the South. The action was taken at a meeting at the cardinal's residence, at which there were present, besides the cardinal and Father Burke, Archbishop Farley, of New York; Archbishop Ryan, of Philadelphia; Bishop Allen, of Mobile, and Bishop Byrne, of Nashville.

Plans for raising funds will begin at once, and if the co-operation of the Catholics in the United States is obtained the building may start within a year. The board has a considerable sum of money on hand for the purpose. Donations will be asked of wealthy Catholics, and special collections will be taken up in Catholic churches.

Father Burke will leave shortly for a trip through the South to select a site. It is understood that Alabama is favored.

According to tentative plans, settlement houses will be built and a large building constructed, where manual training will be taught and opportunity afforded for young negroes to put in practice the instruction imparted to them. There will be schools for both sexes.

NEW LINE INTO COAL FIELDS.

Completion of Holston River Branch Gives Southern Railway a New Line.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Bristol, Va., April 15.—The last rail on the Holston River Railroad, a new line of the Southern Railway system, fifty-seven miles in length, was laid yesterday, completing that road, with the exception of a short section between Morris Gap, Va., and Bulls Gap, Tenn. This gives the Southern a direct line from the South into the coal operations of West and Lee counties. Heretofore the Louisville and Nashville and Norfolk and Western have had undisputed control of that traffic.

Debate at Randolph-Macon.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Ashland, Va., April 16.—Last night the annual debate of Franklin Literary Society of Randolph-Macon College was held in the college chapel. The contest was between the college and the high school of the town. The question under discussion was the constitution form of municipal government.

Give Your Stomach A Chance

To Furnish the System the Necessary Fluids to Drive Dyspepsia From the Stomach.

A Trial Package Free.

You should give to your stomach the chemicals it needs to restore tone, vigor and health to the entire system. Food contains all these ingredients so necessary, and when the stomach is in a normal condition it separates these ingredients as it should and manufactures its own digestive agents, but when it is sick and sore, filled with acids and alkalies and irritants, everything that comes in contact with it does not get at the food as it should and cannot make its own juices correctly.

Science has proven just what is most necessary to the stomach to produce the correct gastric fluids, and to make of digestion a naturally pleasant duty. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are so made as to give the stomach the highest chemical properties to aid digestion. These tablets are made up from pure fruit and vegetable essences, and this is the formula: Hydrastis, Golden Seal, Lactose, Nux, Ascorbic Acid, the highest digestive and nutritive ingredients, the full strength of these ingredients, so that they go into the stomach strong and capable of digesting food of any character. Forty thousand physicians use and prescribe them. Ask your doctor for a trial package free. Your name and address on a card will send you a trial package by mail free. Address F. A. Stuart Co., 150 Stuart Building, Marshall, Mich.

FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE

Expenses of State Troops at Joint Camps Will Be Paid. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Washington, D. C., April 16.—Officials of the War Department, who are charged with the administration of military affairs, are taking steps to insure that the National Guard officers immediately with the fact of the passage by Congress of the bill which will make available for the payment of the expenses of the militia participating in the joint camps of instruction with the regular army, funds from the general appropriations for arming and equipping the militia. The effect is to remove the prohibition imposed by the Comptroller of the Treasury, which seriously endangered the success of the great encampments this summer, and all of the States and Territories have been notified of the decision of interest in this matter.

Ashland Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Ashland, Va., April 16.—Mrs. Charles Robert Smith, Misses Marie and Margaret Smith and Master Charles Robert Smith, of Richmond, are guests at the home of the late Mr. and Mrs. Nannie Harrison, of Danville, is visiting Mrs. Charles Cooke. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gregory and family have gone to Emporia to live. Rev. W. L. Tucker, Mrs. Tucker and Miss Elvira Tucker have returned from Brazil and have opened their home on Railroad avenue.

Master Willis Lipscomb was the week-end guest of his brother, Bernard Lipscomb, of Lynchburg, Va. The Matinee Euchre Card Club met with Mrs. H. D. Kerr on Wednesday. Among the players were Mesdames Cheney, Wright, Fox, Cox, Fleet, Carter, F. M. Wright, H. R. Carter, Snyder, Shepherd, Fey, Gray, Misses Dowdell, Cheney, Fleet, Augusta Nixon, Whittle, Folds, Katherine Marsh, Caroline Marsh, Peatross, Mrs. Clarence Wright won the club prize, and Miss Blanche Cheney, the guest's prize.

Miss Emily Houston, of Richmond, was the guest of Mrs. H. C. Scott on last Sunday. Parker Jones, of Mexico, is visiting his mother, Mrs. William Jones, at the Henry Clay Inn.

Miss Nita Blincoe is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. R. Graves, in Richmond, Va.

Mrs. M. M. Baldwin is visiting Mrs. Peak, in Washington.

Miss Nellie Payne was the recent guest of Miss Anne Mayne.

Miss Elizabeth Crown has returned from a visit with friends at Virginia Beach. Mrs. H. D. Shepherd, of Hanover, Pa., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Delaware Elster.

Mrs. Shackelford is visiting Mrs. R. B. Smithley. Fleet entertained delightfully at cards on Friday morning.

Bon Air Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Bon Air, Va., April 16.—J. E. Paton and family have returned to their home near Bon Air, having spent the winter at Forest Hill.

Miss Eva Talcott has gone to Leesburg with her sister, Mrs. Truman A. Parker.

Miss Tippy Kerns was the guest last Sunday of Misses Withers. Philip Smith went with the Scottsville High School athletic team to Charlottesville on Saturday to attend the track meet, there returning to Richmond Monday morning.

Nathan Talcott was in Bon Air on Sunday.

Miss Carrie P. Moore left last Friday to be the guest for several weeks of Mrs. James Hall, in New York. A. L. Adams and son, Durnley, spent Sunday in Bon Air.

Scottsville Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Scottsville, Va., April 16.—Charles R. Dorrier was in Richmond Wednesday.

W. A. Powers and R. L. Wade, of Richmond, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Dorrier left for Kentucky Thursday, where Mr. Dorrier is engaged in the railroad contracting business.

J. C. Hill has returned after a visit of several weeks in Richmond. Marion Pitts, of Clifton Forge, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pitts, at Belle Haven.

Captain John Alexander, of Warren, was in town this week. Miss Elizabeth H. Holliday is visiting her parents at "Chester."

Miss Louise Housley, a pupil of the Woman's College, of Richmond, spent several days this week with her grandmother, Mrs. Z. L. Gilmer. Mrs. P. W. Haden, of Hardware, was here several days ago.

Miss Willie Day, of Washington, is visiting her parents, in East Main Street. Dabney, of the University of Virginia, visited friends here this week.

Malvern Hill Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Malvern Hill, Va., April 16.—A public school rally was held at Charles City Courthouse on Friday last. The object of this rally was to bring together the children and leaders of the three districts in the county in order to show the progress made during the past session, selected pupils had been chosen to prepare and read essays on timely subjects. Addresses were also made by Dr. R. L. Blanton, associate editor of Virginia Journal of Education, published in Richmond, and Mr. Stearns, member of State Board of Education. A dinner was served to the 200 people who attended.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Saunders, Jr., with their daughter, Miss Mary Ball Saunders, of 224 West Franklin Street, Richmond, were the week-end guests of H. A. Saunders, at "Upper Shirley."

Bishop Robert A. Gibson, of Richmond, held confirmation services at Maplewood and Westover Churches on Sunday, the 16th. He was assisted by the Rev. Lorenzo D. Vaughan, rector of Westover parish.

Powhatan Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Powhatan, April 16.—Miss Alma Thayer, who has been visiting her aunt, Miss Anne Thayer, has returned to her home in Amelia.

R. L. Goode, of Richmond, was the week-end guest of his brother, W. S. Goode, here.

Miss Jessie Nicholas is visiting relatives in Swansboro this week. A. M. Howard, of this place, is in Richmond this week.

Mrs. Willie Nicholas, who lives near this place, is visiting friends in Richmond.

Brian Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Brian, Va., April 16.—Miss Virginia Harris is in Richmond visiting her sister, Miss Hugh Lewis. Mrs. J. N. Walker has returned from a visit to friends in Richmond. C. H. Nixon left yesterday for Staunton.

H. V. Boxley has returned to West Virginia after spending a few days at his home near here.

Meeting of Board Postponed. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Lynchburg, Va., April 16.—The meeting of the board of directors of the State Electric Light and Power Co., which was to have been held here yesterday, was deferred until Monday.

Mrs. Montgomery, of the May Manton Pattern Co.

Will be at our pattern counter for several days, and would be pleased to meet the ladies of Richmond to demonstrate the superiority of the May Manton Patterns.

Plenty of New, Fashionable Wash Goods Here Ready

They wouldn't be fashionable if they weren't new and seasonable. New arrivals in this department daily. These pretty fabrics cover a wide range of colors and weaves suitable for dresses for every purpose, in a number of inexpensive materials for both children and grown up folk. Visit this department and see for yourself the beautiful showing of seasonable Wash Fabrics.

19c Voile, 12 1-2c yard

27 inches wide, very sheer and fine, in a variety of designs, including dots and plaids.

Coronado Organdies, 10c yard

In beautiful floral designs. These are excellent values.

25c and 29c Organdies, 19c yd

Light and dark grounds, very sheer, in pretty floral designs.

Mercerized Linen Pongee, 29c

27 inches wide and very lustrous, in the most fashionable shades.

Ramie Linens, 39c yard

36 inches wide, in black and colors.

Irish Poplins, 25c yard

27 inches wide, in black, white and colors.

Shantung Pongee, 19c yard

27 inches wide, in the natural pongee shade.

Miller & Rhoads

Fashionable Dress Goods of To-Day

The latest news from the Paris fashion world predicts striped serges and cream serges the most popular for this season. These were selected months ago, and are really a review of the fabrics being used by the great Paris Dress-makers and of the Suits worn by the world's fashion leaders. This gives the absolute assurance of getting the most fashionable fabrics here, also an opportunity to get the style opinions from the source of this selection.

All Wool Storm Serges, 59c yd

36 inches wide, in navy blue, cream and black.

75c and \$1 Voiles, 49c yard

42 inches wide, in king blue, hunter's green, cardinal and stone.

Our Mail Order Department

Is best and has the most competent people in charge, who devote their entire time to the filling of orders. Each order is given prompt attention, and filled with as much care as if you were here in person.

Imperial Serges, 50c yard

36 inches wide, all pure wool, with very fine twill in black and colors.

50c Fine Suitings, 39c yard

36 inches wide, in checked and mixed effects in tans and grays.

Cream Striped Serges, 50c, \$1 and \$1.50 yard

36 inches wide, with cream grounds with black pencil stripes; very fashionable for coat suits and separate skirts.

Spring and Summer Suits

At a Sacrifice

Never in the history of the Women's and Misses' Suit business have the styles been more becoming than this season. The plain tailored effects are always profitable to the purchaser, and are seldom out of style; that is one of the advantages of buying a suit at this time. Another and greater advantage is the fact that we have gotten together the broken lines, which include suits that several sizes have been sold and only one or two left and marked them at a ridiculous low price for this time of the year; in fact, lower than July prices, making in all the greatest suit sale of the season.

At these prices we cannot send suits on approval, C. O. D., nor exchange.

The following are a few samples of what you may expect at this sale.

\$10 This lot consists of Suits made of fine black or blue serges and men's wear worsteds; new effects; linings are of guaranteed satin and silk. Some have the moire facing on the collar and others plain. Some styles we have as large as 44 size, while in others only the smaller sizes are represented, mostly blacks and blues, only few in other colors. Suits that will save you from \$5 to \$7.50.

\$10 Were you thinking of spending \$25 on a Suit? This is your chance to save \$10.00 and get the same quality Suit. French serge and other materials in black and blue, finely tailored and lined, spring shades in all new materials; beautiful garments.

\$15 In this collection will be found Suits to please and fit most any person, in blues and the new spring shades. Many are exclusive designs that cannot be had elsewhere; the linings and trimmings are the best. The regular prices of these Suits are \$30.00, \$32.50 and \$35.00.

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Your Summer Floor Coverings

Can Be Supplied Here

The genial breath in the air makes us think of changing the hot, dusty floor coverings which have been in use through the winter, and we will soon have to be pulling them up and replacing them with new summer ones. We have already replenished our stock with the fresh new floor coverings, and our line is the best and most complete ever shown here or elsewhere. Visit this department before making your selections.

Fibre Rugs, all colors and patterns, an ideal rug for summer, for the large range of color combinations make them especially desirable for parlors and bedrooms. Prices range from 60c, for the 20x35-inch size, to \$11.50, for the 9x12 feet.

Cres is the most satisfactory floor covering for dining-rooms, living-rooms, halls, porches, etc., for the hot weather. Can be had in all sizes. Prices as follows:

18x30 35c All colors and widths. By the yard, 40c. For the 3-4 width, to \$1.00, for the 2-yard wide.

Extra heavy China Matting, all colors and patterns, special, 22c yard.

Cretone and Rag Rugs, all sizes, all colors. The most artistic and durable rugs made at the prices. It is an easy matter to match your draperies and wall paper with these rugs, as the range of colors is practically unlimited. For the suburban home or bungalow they can't be equalled.

Comme il Faut Cretone Rugs, pink and green, blue and green, and white and various other color combinations. The original and ever popular Gretchen Rug at the following prices:

20x30 \$2.75 30x72 \$3.75 4x7 \$6.00 27x36 75c 27x54 \$1.00 36x72 \$1.50 4x7 \$2.75 6x9 \$5.50 7x10 \$8.00 9x12 \$10.00

Best quality China Matting, all colors, in pin checks, plaids and novelty designs; 40c quality, 30c yard.

White Goods

With Which You Will Be Pleased

The White Goods season has arrived, and we are in readiness to serve your wants with any and all kinds of material in the White Goods line. We carry the most complete stock of Lawn, Linens, Longcloths, etc., of any store in the South, and our prices are the most reasonable. This is just the season when people are having their sewing done for the summer, so don't wait until the last minute and rush yourself and your dressmakers to get them ready in time. Purchase them now while the goods are new and fresh—

Plaques and Poplins—Fine quality for skirts and suits; special at 12 1/2c yard.

Fine quality Oxford; just the correct weight for skirts, at 16c.

Belmont Linen Finished Suitings, the same weaves as real linen. Why pay 15c for it elsewhere when you get it here for 12c?

Dimities, Plaid Lawns and Dotted Swisses for waists, 12c and 15c grades for 10c yard.

Pure Linen at Prices Never Before Offered

Pure Linen Suitings, 36 inches wide, fine weave; 35c value to-morrow at 25c yard.

All-Linen Sheeting, fine, close weave, 72 inches wide, 50c value for 45c yard; 90 inches wide, \$1.00 value for 70c yard.

All-Linen French Suitings, 45 inches wide, 60c quality for 50c yd.

Thousands of Yards of the Finest Embroideries

On Sale Monday

Never before in Richmond have there been such fine Embroideries at the prices we are offering them. The Embroidery Section these days looks like the home of our Embroidery, the mountains of Switzerland, with great piles of snow-white Embroideries. Thousands and thousands of yards of the finest Embroideries at 1-3 and 1-2 the regular price. This is a great season for Embroideries, and they are being used for most every purpose in the way of trimmings. A few specials for Monday—

About 4,000 yards of the finest Swiss and Nainsook, match sets for infants' wear, and waists as well as underwear; edges 3 to 7 inches, insertions 1 to 1 1/2 inches wide. It's sold regularly for 19c to 39c value; 10c and 12 1/2c.

One lot of Cambric Flouncings, 27 inches wide, well worked designs, with good firm edges; just the kind for skirts; regular 50c quality, on sale to-morrow at 25c.

Special for Monday

Hands and Gallons. They are perhaps the most popular at present for waists as well as dress trimmings; all neat, beautiful patterns, in real Baby Irish lace and lace effect, from 4 to 7 inches wide. Can't be bought anywhere for less than 75c to \$1.75; special Monday, 30c.

Flouncings, 27 inches wide, new, large scroll designs, beautifully worked on sheer Swiss cloth, dozens of designs to select from; worth from 75c to \$1.25, for 50c yard.

All-Over Embroideries at Half Price

22 inches wide, dainty baby patterns, as well as large designs for waists; well work on Swiss or nainsook; 75c quality for 30c; \$1.00 quality for 50c.

A special lot of Nainsook Gowns, low around neck, slipover style, with edge of tulle lace or embroidery and drawn with ribbon; special, Va. priced at \$1.00 each.

A new lot of Women's Gowns, made of fine nainsook, hem around neck, slipover style, three-quarter sleeve, trimmed with edge of fine tulle lace and insertion of embroidery; specially priced at \$1.50 each.

Women's Combination Suits—Corset Cover and Drawers combined, with all-colored edge, drawn with ribbon, at \$1.10 each.

A new lot of Women's Gowns, made of fine nainsook, hem around neck, slipover style, three-quarter sleeve, trimmed with edge of fine tulle lace and insertion of embroidery; specially priced at \$1.50 each.

New Laces and Dress Trimmings

We are showing the newest and most up-to-date styles in Laces and Dress Trimmings. We are always on the lookout for special values in these departments, and you will always find special values here. This week we are offering exceptional bargains in these departments.



New Kimonos and Dressing Sacques for Summer

Our new line of Kimonos and Dressing Sacques are more beautiful this season than ever, both in color and style; in fact, we believe they are the prettiest that can be seen in the city, and the prices are the cheapest. A few specials which will be on sale to-morrow—

Women's Dressing Sacques, made fitted back, V-neck, back and front, kimono sleeves, finished with belt, made in fancy Persian figured lawn.

Choice of an assortment of Sacques, made in a number of different styles, all new, clean patterns of dainty colored lawn; choice of the lot at \$1.00 each.

An assortment of Long Kimonos, made of dainty lawn, with solid colored border, at \$1.00 each.

A new lot of light colored Lawn Long Kimonos, made empire style, with contrasting piping, short empire yoke and wide tucks; special at \$1.75.

New Arrivals in Women's Gowns and Combination Suits

This special lot arrived in time for an enthusiastic welcome, and they are just the kind you will want for summer. All made and will fit perfect, in a wide range of becoming styles that will please every woman who sees them. Be sure you get one or more of this special offering to-morrow—

A special lot of Nainsook Gowns, low around neck, slipover style, with edge of tulle lace or embroidery and drawn with ribbon; special, Va. priced at \$1.00 each.

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